

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (currently amended) A vibration damping silicone composition comprising:
(A) 100 parts by weight of a silicone oil,
(B) 0.1-50 parts by weight of hollow particles of an organic resin having an inorganic material powder supported on surfaces of the hollow particles, and
(C) 1-300 parts by weight of an inorganic material powder
wherein component (B) has a larger mean particle size than component (C).

2. (original) A vibration damping silicone composition according to Claim 1 in which component (C) is treated with a fatty acid or a fatty acid derivative.

3. (original) A vibration damping silicone composition according to Claim 1 in which the mean particle size of component (B) is at least 10 μm greater than the mean particle size of component (C).

4. (original) A vibration damping silicone composition comprising:
(A) 100 parts by weight of a silicone oil,
(B) 0.1-50 parts by weight of hollow particles of an organic resin having an inorganic material powder supported on surfaces of the hollow particles,
(C) 1-300 parts by weight of an inorganic material powder, and
(D) 0.1-20 parts by weight of a fatty acid or fatty acid derivative.

5. (original) A vibration damping silicone composition according to Claim 4 in which component (C) is pretreated with a fatty acid or a fatty acid derivative.

6. (original) A vibration damping silicone composition according to Claim 4 in which the mean particle size of component (B) is at least 10 μm greater than the mean particle size of component (C).

7. (new) A vibration damping silicone composition comprising:
(A) 100 parts by weight of a silicone oil,
(B) 0.1-50 parts by weight of hollow particles of an organic resin having an inorganic material powder supported on surfaces of the hollow particles, and
(C) 1-300 parts by weight of an inorganic material powder treated with a fatty acid or fatty acid derivative.

8. (new) A vibration damping silicone composition according to Claim 1 wherein the silicone oil is a trimethylsiloxy end capped dimethylpolysiloxane.

9. (new) A vibration damping silicone composition according to Claim 4 wherein the silicone oil is a trimethylsiloxy end capped dimethylpolysiloxane.

10. (new) A vibration damping silicone composition according to Claim 7 wherein the silicone oil is a trimethylsiloxy end capped dimethylpolysiloxane.